

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2000**, upon the application of **SEAGULL ENERGY E & P INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Vaughn Sand and Davis Sand**, in the Calhoun Field, Lincoln and Ouachita Parishes, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Seagull Energy E & P Inc. to drill, designate and utilize its Butler No. 1 Well as an alternate unit well for VGN SUI and as a substitute unit well for DAVIS SUH at an exceptional location.
2. To establish that the location of the Butler No. 1 Well is the optimum location within both of these units to enable hydrocarbons to be recovered from each such unit that cannot be recovered from any other well located on the unit.
3. To authorize the unit allowable for VGN SUI to be recovered from the existing unit well, the proposed alternate unit well or from any combination of such wells at the discretion of the operator.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Vaughn Sand, in the Calhoun Field, Lincoln and Ouachita Parishes, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 397-L, effective on and after February 1, 1961, has been redefined as to specific units by subsequent Orders of the 397-L Series of Orders including VGN SUI.

The Davis Sand of the Cotton Valley Formation, in the Calhoun Field, Lincoln and Ouachita Parishes, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 397-D, effective on and after May 1, 1959, and was redefined as the Davis Sand, Reservoir A, Cotton Valley Formation, in Office of Conservation Order No. 397-D-4, effective on and after March 29, 1977.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Monroe**, Louisiana.  
All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**PHILIP N. ASPRODITES**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

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PLEASE CONTACT DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PERSONNEL SECTION AT  
P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-**

**2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE(5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**